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CHRISTMAN, saddle, trunk and harness ker, opposite Episcopal church Main st. v3n16

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EL JACOBY, Marble and Brown Stone rks, East Bloomsburg, Berwick road. vl-n47

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The above well-known hotel has recently undergone radical changes in its internal arrangements, and its proprietor announces to his former custom and the travelling public that his accomodations for the comfort of his guests are second to none in the country. His table will always be found supplied, not only with substantial food, but with all the delicacies of the season. His wines and liquors (except that popular beverage known as "*McHenry*"), purchased direct from the importing houses, are entirely pure, and free from all poisonous drugs. He is thankful for a liberal patronage in the past, and will continue to deserve it in the future. GEORGE W. MAUGER.

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HAVING lately purchased and fitted up the well-known Robison Hotel Property, located a

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on the same side of the street, in the town of Bloomsburg; and having obtained a license for the same as a

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the Proprietor has determined to give to the people visiting the town on business or pleasure,

A LITTLE MORE ROOM.

His stabling also is extensive, and is fitted up to put buggies and carriages in the dry. He promises that everything about his establishment shall be conducted in an orderly and lawful manner; and he respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage. [may 17'67-6m.

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The undersigned having purchased this well-known and centrally-located house, the Exchange Hotel, situate on MAIN STREET, in Bloomsburg immediately opposite the Columbia county Court House, respectfully inform their friends and the public in general that their house is now in order for the reception and entertainment of travellers who may be disposed to favor it with their custom. They have spared no expense in preparing the Exchange for the entertainment of their guests neither shall there be anything wanting on their part to minister to their personal comfort. Their house is spacious, and enjoys an excellent business location.

Omnibuses run at all times between the Exchange Hotel and the various railroad depots, by which travellers will be pleasantly conveyed to and from the respective stations in due time to meet the cars. KOONS & CLARK.

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A License will be obtained at May Term of Court, when the bar will be supplied with the choicest wines, liquors and segars. A fair share of patronage is requested.

Apr. 2,'69-3m.*

Original Poetry.

A MONODY.

She sweetly sleeps—
Within the cold damp earth,
From whence all living had their birth,
To where all living shall return,
That vast majestic urn,
She lies at rest.

She sweetly sleeps—
Much shall we miss her smile;
The care her kindness could beguile,
Will vanish at her bid no more;
But why should we deplore?
She lies at rest.

She sweetly sleeps—
The voice of song is still;
The tones that wont to make us thrill
With ecstacy, live in our heart,
And thence will never part.
Though she is gone.

She sweetly sleeps—
And we shall hear her pour
Her voice in earthly chant no more;
But in the sacred choir her song
She ever shall prolong,
She wakes above!

FITZ JAMES.

AU-REVOIR.

Together they stood, upon the vine wreathed porch,
And the sunshine played on her bright, brown hair,
Those clustering curls, as they fell o'er her brow,
Just stirred with the breath of the morning air.

And the lips were parted with a tender smile,
And the eyes looked a love-light, deep and true
Into eyes that mirrored her own image there,
In depths that reflected the heavens, clear blue.

And he looked fondly down on the bright young face,
Uplifted in its trusting faith and love,
While softly he murmered the same old-time vows
That should stand as firm as the stars above.

He said as he kissed the bright drops from the eyes,
That wept, at parting, though tears were vain,
"Dearest love, but for thee, I seek a far clime,
And wilt thou be true till we meet again?"

"Till we meet again!" 'twas when long years had flown;
But his bride wore tresses of shining gold
Which shaded a brow, full as haughty, as fair,
And no love-light lay in the eyes so cold.

They met, but if he was fickle she was proud,
And the pain or perfidy none might know;
For the vine-wreathed porch told no treacherous tale,
Of Summer morning in the long ago.

MARIAN ROSS.

Miscellaneous.

JOHN BOYDEN'S INVESTMENT.

John Boyden was a young farmer, who lived in a country village, and was an honest honorable fellow, who believed in doing just as he promised, and only promising what he could perform. In this respect, at least, he was the very soul of honor. He would not have wronged a man out of a cent, to use his own phrase, no more'n he'd chop his right hand off. And everybody knew he felt what he said. They respected him for his uprightness, and prophesied that John would buy himself a nice farm some day, and make one of their best men. For, notwithstanding the richness of his heart, John was poor in worldly goods. He had commenced in life by working upon neighboring farms by the day or week, and in a short time had saved enough to furnish a humble little house which he had bought upon long credit.

But an evil day came upon John. He was engaged with a neighbor digging a drain on his premises, when a sudden dash of rain drove them to the house.

"Don't you want to look at the paper, John?" the man asked, passing him the city sheet, which had arrived the previous evening.

He took the paper, rather to pass the time than for any other purpose, as he was not given to reading extensively. While he sat listlessly running his eyes down the columns, he came to that part devoted to advertisements. He would have turned the sheet, but at that moment his gaze was arrested by a paragraph, headed,

"$25 DOLLARS PER DAY TO AGENTS!"

He read the strange announcement, then re-read it, being very careful in regard to the figures. Then he muttered to himself, "Well, now if that don't beat all I ever heard of—'twenty-five dollars a day!' I wish I could get into such a business. I'd be content with ten dollars—yes, or five either."

He read the paragraph attentively. There was surely an opportunity for him. An agent, one or more, was wanted in every town throughout the United States. What if he should be the fortunate one to secure this golden chance! He really trembled lest somebody else should see the paper and get the coveted agency.

"Twenty-five dollars a day," he reflected; "a hundred and fifty dollars a week; six hundred dollars a month; seven thousand eight hundred a year!" at that rate he would become a rich man in no time! Literally his credulity was running away with him. The enormous figures had turned his brain at the first sight. If he could but get that situation he would ask nobody to trust him. Neither would he work for such paltry wages any longer. Already he began to consider what farm he should purchase. None within the circle of his acquaintance seemed fully to meet his wishes. But there would be time enough to consider that, when he should have the cash in hand.

The rain had ceased by this time, and they were ready to return to their work or rather the employer was ready. John carefully tore the address of the agency party from the paper, placed it in his pocket, and worked through the long hours of the afternoon.

Upon reaching home his first thought was to consult his wife upon the subject but he thought it would be an agreeable surprise to her, when he should have commenced to reap the harvest. So he said nothing to her about it. He wrote to the concern, requesting an agency extensive enough to occupy him continually; and added many other things which he had better not have written.

The following day he made a pretext of a headache to visit the village post-office some two miles distant. He saw his letter safely in the mail, and then returned to his work. He assisted in the afternoon in building stone fence, but the labor was hard, and John Boyden was sure he had never performed such a day's labor before.

He pleaded sickness upon the following day, and the day after no one came for him to work. He knew of several men who would be glad of his assistance, but of what consequence would the few dollars he could earn only by the sweat of his brow be in the end? He would take matters easy, and when the business came up, he would strike at it with all his energies.

There were several little improvements he ought to make about his own premises; but what was the object in fitting up so much when it wasn't at all likely that he should always live there?

The third day brought the longed for letter. John placed it in his pocket and hastened home. His heart was light, and he almost ran for a part of the distance. There was a thicket beside the road, and into this Boyden turned to read his important missive. First he pulled out a large circular, which he merely glanced at. His countenance fell a little as he perceived it treated of gold watches, but he pulled out the letter accompanying, and ran over the contents of that as soon as he could decypher it. It was all flattery, stating that from the tenor of his letter they felt sure he was the very man they wanted in that section, to introduce the new hunting case watch they were importing in vast quantities from Switzerland; concluding by saying that they would do anything to favor him, and hoped to receive an order for at least one case, which he could hardly fail to sell in any town in a single day.

John glanced over the circular to find what was meant by a case, and what they cost. He read.

"Put up in cases of six each, and sent by express, prepaid, to any part of the country, on receipt of price—$150 per case. Every watch will sell for from $75 to $100—often more than that."

Here was a blow for the young man's hopes. Notwithstanding the immense profits, it would require considerable capital on which to commence. He read the whole sheet over carefully, and his heart beat with satisfaction as he reflected that such a timepiece never had been realized in that section. There were certificates appended from many eminent men, whom he never heard of to be sure, but of what matter was that? They had used the watches, and found them all that human ambition could crave! He thought over the matter. The parties expressed a desire to assist him—perhaps they would deviate from their established terms to do so.

He wrote to them representing his inability to purchase an entire set, and asking for some arrangement by which he could commence upon a small scale;—adding that he intended to put the business through, and save a handsome sum from the large margin for profit. He did not stop to reflect upon the probabilities of the case, or to analyze the proposition, as a man less credulous than himself would have done. He was only allured by the golden prospects which gave such unbounded promises.

In a few days came the answer from the proprietors. It was not their way of doing business, they wrote, but as he seemed about the right kind of agent, they would break a package for his especial benefit, and he could send for such a number as he wished at the same price per watch as though he had taken a package. His heart leaped with delight at the generosity. He could raise twenty-five, perhaps fifty dollars, and then he would be on the high road to success! He said nothing of his plans, for he was determined to astonish his friends generally when he made his first real speculation. With the little money he had saved from his daily toil—and which was needed for more than one urgent use—and such amount as he borrowed, the price of a single watch was raised and forwarded.

True to the appointed day came an innocent little box through the mail to his address. Putting it in his pocket he started for home. His feet had never seemed so light before. He sprang along the road with an agility that surprised all who saw him. Turning into the thicket as before, he broke open the package. There it lay—the shining pretty thing! He took it out carefully, and after admiring the elegance of its general appearance, despite some flaws in the finish, he put it back carefully. He would say nothing to Susan of this, but would go to an adjoining town and sell it for a hundred dollars, and twenty-five if possible—enough to buy the balance of the set.

The following day he made false pretences—the first which he had ever felt it necessary to use with his wife—and set off for the town. It was a good eight miles, but he reached it by noon, and after taking a lunch he dropped into a jeweler's establishment.

"I'll see what he says about it," thought John, "and may be he'll give me a fair price for it. If he does I think I'll take it, for what is twenty-five or thirty dollars to me now?"

Sure enough, here was a vital question.

He was addressed by a smiling, good natured sort of a man, to whom he gave the watch with a perceptible pride of manner.

"About what would you call that timepiece worth?" he asked.

The man glanced it over, and something of a smile appeared upon his features.

"Where did you get this?" he asked, eyeing John curiously.

"Me? oh, I'm agent for 'em in this vicinity," he said, somewhat proudly, and rather mistaking the feeling which prompted the question.

"Ah! indeed?" said the jeweler, looking at him again, "how do you sell 'em?"

"Well, I hadn't really set a price," stammered John, to whom trading was rather a new business. "I only got this one yesterday—I suppose it is worth about one hundred dollars."

"Is it possible?"

"What would you call it worth? I see you have some a good deal like it there," indicating some in a case.

"No, sir," returned the dealer, rather quickly. "I've nothing of the kind. And as you seem to be an honest fellow let me tell you one thing candidly—that watch isn't worth carrying home!"

Some customers entered at the moment, and advanced to the twain, but the shopman found time to add:

"It's as true as you live!"

John left the shop and moved across the street. He did not believe what the man told him, but as there was another shop some distance below, it would do no harm to apply the test.

"He feels jealous of me," thought John, "and hopes to persuade me out of the business. Of course it will hurt him some, but trade is free." He entered the second shop.

"I'll take him a little differently," was the mental resolution—"though it can't be that I have been swindled out of my money in that way!"

The jeweler was busily at work when the countryman entered, but he rose on seeing that the latter had business with him.

"A friend of mine wanted me to ask you about this watch!" said he, producing the condemned article.

"Is it his?"

"I don't know whether he has bought it or not. He talked of it a week or so ago."

"If he has a family of children, it might be worth ten cents, as a toy; though such a one as these"—pointing to some toys which lay in a case—"would be better, and I sell 'm for eight cents."

"Are you honest about it?"

There was a look of blank dismay on the features of the questioner, which might have betrayed the interest he felt.

"Now I will convince you," said the jeweler, "if you are not afraid of having this thing spoiled in the looks."

John bade him proceed, and he took up a small vial filled with a colorless liquid. Some of this he applied to a watch which he had taken from the window, and after allowing it to remain a short time, wiped it off.

"You see it leaves no stain," he said. "Now I will make a very slight application to this bogus concern."

He did so, and the application was followed by an instant discoloration. He wiped it away with the same movement, but the blot could not be effaced.

"I will gild the plate over, if you wish," he said.

John did not wish. He dropped the bauble into his pocket, and started upon his return. But how changed was everything! His golden dreams had all vanished, the natural lightness and buoyance of his step had fled. The dead swindler in his pocket weighed him down like a mill-stone. No sooner was he clear of the village than he drew it forth, placed it upon a flat rock, and crushed it with a stone till not a semblance of its original shape was left. Then he drove it into the ground and stamped down the dirt above it.

"There is my twenty-five dollars," he muttered. "Thank my good luck which made me a poor man, it was no more. Now I'll go back and go to work again. I may as well count in the eight or ten dollars I might have earned while I've been fooling about this matter."

The way seemed much longer on his return than it had been in the morning, but he reached home before night. He was obliged to continue his deception toward his wife, for she noticed his downcast manner in a moment. He explained it by pleading headache and retired early. Next morning he arose and sought work. No more dreams of golden hue filled his mind, but he had still his strong muscles to toil and bring him certain rewards. He had learned a lesson, and one which was to be a benefit to him through a life-time. It took some time to regain what he had lost in time and money. Strictly speaking, he could never regain it, for both were gone forever. But the experience he passed through no doubt proved of more real service to him than the money would have done.

And yet, reader, was John Boyden more anxious to make a sudden splendid fortune than many whom you call to mind? Was he more credulous—more easily persuaded by the wiles of swindlers than others, who hunt out every "chance to make a fortune," and bite at a bait so transparent that the hook is in full view? Honest, manly perseverance is the surest road to success, the world over, and he who would succeed in life, and carry with him the respect and esteem of his fellow men, can travel no other road.

Hans and the Decoys.

Everybody about Timbuctoo, up to Yuba county knows Hans Himmeltausen, or, as he is more usually called "Dutch John," a good-hearted jovial Teuton, once well off but now reduced to the position of a Flume Guard.

Hans goes out hunting once in a while. He went after ducks not long since. You can't get him to go after them again. The reason is this. Some of the boys played him a trick. They got a couple of wooden decoy ducks and fastened them with a string in the edge of some bushes in a little pond near the town, where they could be seen as the wind wafted them out the length of the string.

Hans was told that a couple of wild ducks were in the pond, and hurrying to his quarters he got his gun, loaded it heavily, and crept down within range of the ducks.

Taking good aim he fired, and the ducks were sent with a rush back into the bushes by the shot.

Hans though, of course, he had killed them, but stopped to load, in case they were only wounded. Meantime the wind blowing through the bushes pretty sharp, blew them out on the water to the length of the string again.

"Der tyfull I shooted dem tooks once!" said Hans, in astonishment. "Now dey schwims out likes dey were never shot with a gun, not at all! Dunder! I makes 'em hell schmell dis time!"

And again he took a deliberate aim, and let fly.

The force of the shot instantly drove the ducks in out of sight again, and Hans dropped his gun to go after them. But before he had got twenty yards, he saw to his astonishment that the ducks were swimming out as before, unharmed.

He halted, in half wonder, half terror. "Mein cot!" he muttered. "Two times I shooted dem tam tooks! and two times dey come out yust as pefore. I dink dey is de tuyvel's own tooks! I tries again—zee if I tont!"

And again, with a double charge of powder and shot in his gun, Hans drew for the ducks. He fired, and went end over end with the recoil. When he got up, not a duck was in sight.

"I shoot 'em all to pieces dat time!" he cried, as he rubbed his lame shoulder.

Just then out floated the ducks again.

"Mein cot in himmels! Tey is ter tuyvel's tooks!" groaned Hans. "Three times I shoot 'em all over tead, and dere dey is allve!"

"I'll bet you two fifty they're dead!" cried Tommy Newbert, with a smile.

"Himmel—can't I see dem schwim!" cried Hans.

"Two fifty you've riddled them—and two fifty they're dead!" cried Tom.

"Hemmels! I bet you dat. But how we broves it? You can't catch 'em?

"Yes, come along with me, and I'll catch them for you?"

There was some tall swearing in Dutch when Hans paid over the $2.50, and found out how he had been sold.

If you want to see a mad Dutchman, just say "ducks" to Hans, and you'll be accommodated.

A Country Maiden in Boy's Attire—All for Love.

Commission houses and their counting-rooms have little of romance about them, and consequently they are the last places where the world looks for the romantic. But very recent developments in a dry goods establishment have very beautifully illustrated that line of Walter Scott's, that

"Love rules the camp, court, grove and mart,"

and sheds its influence untrammeled as the sunshine, investing with its warmth and brightness the darkest and most uninviting places.

Two months or more ago a vacant clerkship in the house referred to was applied for and filled by a youth, apparently about sixteen years of age. He applied in response to an advertisement of the firm—"Wanted, a youth, who can write a good hand and come well recommended." Out of sixty odd applicants our hero (or heroine) took the palm for the neatness, legibility and regularity of his chirography; was sent for, presented himself, and was installed in the position of entry clerk. He displayed remarkable aptitude for business; was quick and accurate at figures, ever ready to run an errand or lend a hand at anything that was to be done. In manners he was polite, blushed when looked at or spoken to; wept when chided by his employers, or chaffed by his fellow clerks because of his peachy cheeks, feminine figure and general girlishness of appearance.

Time wore on. The busy season came, and brought with it a gentleman from beyond the Blue Ridge, who had occasional dealings with the house. Desiring to examine the stock, the entry clerk was called from his stool and instructed to show the gentleman over the floors. Their eyes met, those of the strange gentleman and the entry clerk—the gentleman stammered, "Great God!" and staggered into a seat; the clerk blushed scarlet to his ear tips, then burst into tears. Then came the *denouement*. The gentleman explained that he recognized in the clerk the lost daughter of a citizen of his county; that she ran away in August last, and had since been mourned by her parents and friends as dead, as they could gain no tidings of her whereabouts or fate, though all the considerable towns of the State had been searched by the father in person, aided by the police.

The daughter in clerkly disguise then explained, as best she could between sobs, and it was "the old story again." She had loved and seen her love thwarted by parental opposition, the most relentless and unfeeling. Her lover, youthful as she, being also opposed by his parents, left his home soon after, and came to the city, where he was not long in obtaining employment. A secret correspondence was opened between the two, aided by other parties.

This lasted for some time, and strengthened the cords of affection, drawing the twain nearer each other, though separated by the misty mountains and many miles of cruel space. At last, in one of these fatal moments of girl's weakness, she resolved to give up all for love—home and heaven, too, if need be—and left the house one evil night, when the family was absent, equipped in her brother's Sunday suit, determined to join her love in the city. This she did do, and though he—timid boy—was at first frightened at the step his sweetheart had taken, she, by artful stories of her treatment at home, infused into him a manly spirit, and he—bold boy—resolved to become the protector of innocence while he buried the secret of her sex in his own bosom. He took her to his boarding house, and procured for her a room separate and apart from his own. It was agreed between them that she should preserve her *incognito*, and sink her sex and identity in male apparel. Thus, with his assistance, in this disguise, she had sought and obtained the position of entry clerk in the establishment where she was discovered as we have related.

Well, having told her romantic story, the girl who shall be nameless, gave the address of her lover; a messenger was dispatched for him and he came. He made a clean breast of it, confessing all. They had both been industrious, working hard, each in their situation, with the one object in view, and that was marriage, so soon as they had accumulated enough money to procure a bridal *trousseau*, rent chambers and set up housekeeping. The respective parents of the truant lovers were informed by telegraph of the situation of affairs, and they telegraphed back at once, "Marry them and send them home."

One day last week witnessed the return and reconciliation beyond the mountains. May the couple who have attained the fruition of earthly bliss through such tribulation have scores of children, and live to celebrate their golden wedding.

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THE COUNTY NOMINATIONS.

It is with sincere pleasure we place in our political column this week, the names of candidates selected by the County Convention for our several county offices. They are "good men and true," and mostly personal friends to whom we are drawn by strong bonds of sympathy and confidence.

Charles F. Mann, of Beaver, will conclude a long political career of activity and influence by taking a seat in our courts; General Ent will assume the duties of Prothonotary; Mr. Jacoby succeed Col. Freeze as Register and Recorder; Mr. Robbins will come down from Fishingcreek to act Commissioner, and Mr. Lowenberg, an ever active and courteous gentleman, will take charge of the county funds. The subordinate posts of Coroner and Auditor will be suitably filled. All these results have been proposed by the Convention, and will be secured by the action of the people.

We are strongly opposed to indiscriminate praise of candidates. Looking over party newspapers, ordinarily, just after nominations, one would suppose that all the nominees were saints and that virtue would die with them. But in the present case there is real cause for commending the action of the Convention and the men put in nomination by it.

Mr. Mann has great natural sagacity and sound judgment, and is well acquainted with the people of the county and with their affairs. Of Gen. Ent we can hardly trust ourselves to speak. We have known him many years as a Soldier and a Gentleman in common with others, but we have also known him as an intimate and trusted friend. *He is all over right*, and having recently entered into the "holy estate of matrimony," may be accepted in the future as a model man. It was no doubt to many persons an unpleasant thing to withhold support from our present Prothonotary (who has made an excellent officer—energetic and accommodating,) and select a new favorite; but the principle of rotation was thought to justify it: not demand it.

The voice of the county was very strongly for Mr. Robbins for Commissioner, and his nomination was but a due recognition of his merit and of the claims of his township.

Williamson H. Jacoby as an old campaigner and printer, could not be beaten; though a pair of worthy gentlemen tried their hands at unhorsing him. He kept his seat firmly and won the prize. The fact is, Smoketown was for him, a fact overlooked by his competitors until it was too late!

Mr. David Lowenberg was very successful in his first political enterprise among our people. He had more than a three-fourth's vote among the delegates and all opposition to him was abandoned. Even the Goliath of the *Berwick Gazette* fearful of David's sling, retired early from the engagement.

It was difficult for the Convention to fix its choice upon a candidate for Associate Judge, and the scale of choice was well balanced for a time between Mifflin and Beaver, with a good outlying vote thrown to Main and Franklin. Finally, it was thought that Beaver had the best *Man(n)* and her candidate was taken.

REFORM IN NOMINATIONS.

It will be seen by the proceedings of the Convention that two propositions for reform in the manner of making nominations were presented to that body, but that neither of them was adopted. The question of change will no doubt come up again in future Conventions, and it was perhaps well that the Convention gave time for full consideration of this important subject before decisive action should be had.

The two propositions offered were very different in character though looking to the same object and inspired by similar views; the one being for proportional representation and the other for the introduction of the Crawford county system. Ultimate change may be regarded as inevitable, but the question is what form shall it assume? Shall we abolish the Delegate system or reform it?

The Crawford County plan of nominations has a plausible appearance and upon first view is well calculated to win assent from friends of reform; but in our opinion it is a very bad plan and quite inadmissible upon many grounds. In addition to the objections to it heretofore stated in our columns, we will mention one which has been developed by experience and is conclusive, to wit, the inevitable tendency of the plan to produce and encourage fraud. The popular voting it permits is under no guarantee of law and does not admit of scrutiny or review in any convenient manner. Unfair or corrupt voting may be practised under it with impunity and have full and disastrous effect. Untrue, coerced or corrupted votes must be counted to affect the result, because there is neither time nor machinery for investigation and even if these could be had the expense of investigation would be intolerable. The great security for fairness in elections is the rivalry of parties or of candidates. They watch each other and all concerned are put upon their good behavior. Even at Delegate elections this rivalry exists in full force wherever two tickets are in the field, and where there is no contest there can be no incentive to fraud, for the result is certain at all events and cannot be aided by false votes. But under the Crawford County plan in all districts where there is no contest, or but little contest, there is a strong inducement *to swell the vote* and no protection against false voting or false returns.

We grant, nay we insist that our present Delegate plan is very unfair and unsatisfactory and requires amendment; but we are not prepared to give it up for the Crawford county plan.

The proportional representation of districts, which was the other proposition submitted to the Convention, is undoubtedly just, is free from all the objections which condemn the Crawford county plan, and would, we believe, have a most salutary effect if adopted. We know of no obstacle to it or pretense of reason against it, save one—*it would decrease the relative power of small districts in Convention.* But this effect, or one equivalent to it, would follow from an reasonable plan of reform and as any objection would apply equally to the Crawford county system.

In fact nothing but habit—custom—usage—could reconcile any reasonable man to the present unfair representation of district's by which Franklin, Fishingcreek, Roaringcreek, Locust, Berwick and Madison are placed upon an equality with each other. Each of these districts (in common with others of the county) have two delegates. Their Democratic vote, respectively, at the last Presidential election and the number of votes required in each for a Delegate, are as follows:

	SEYMOUR.	RATIOS.
Franklin	49	24½
Roaringcreek	55	27½
Berwick	68	34
Madison	208	104
Locust	260	130
Fishingcreek	269	134½

Here we see that one man in Franklin has as much power in the making of nominations as four in Madison or five or six in Locust or Fishingcreek, etc. We do not press the case of Bloom with 329 Democratic votes where 164 are required for a delegate, but we *do* say that gross inequality of privilege among voters extends throughout the county and must be, sooner or later, corrected in some proper form.

LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE.

LETTER OF COMMITTEE.

Hon. Asa Packer, Mauch Chunk, Pa.:

The undersigned, a Committee appointed by the Democratic State Convention, held at Harrisburg on the 14th instant, in pursuance of authority conferred upon them by the Convention, hereby notify you that you were duly nominated by said Convention as the Democratic candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania, at the ensuing October election. On behalf of the Convention, we respectfully request your acceptance of the nomination.

C. R. BUCKALEW,
LEWIS C. CASSIDY,
R. EMMET MONAGHAN, } Committee.

PHILADELPHIA, July 21, 1869.

JUDGE PACKER'S REPLY.

PHILADELPHIA, July 30, 1869.

GENTLEMEN: At the first convenient moment I reply to your communication, informing me of my nomination by the Democratic State Convention, of the 14th instant, for the office of Governor of Pennsylvania. I desire to make due acknowledgments for this high evidence of the esteem and friendship of my fellow-citizens, and to say that I accept the nomination tendered me.

Having, at the solicitation of my friends (though with unfeigned reluctance), been induce to permit the use of my name for the nomination, my acceptance becomes a matter of course, if not a duty; but, I announce it with a deep sense of the responsibility assumed. My reliance in accepting the position of a candidate, and in agreeing to perform Executive service for the people, is not alone upon my own strength or good intentions, but mainly upon popular indulgence and generous support, and upon that superintending Providence which can bless the labors of public men.

If I shall be placed, by the votes of the people, in the Gubernatorial chair, I shall endeavor to meet the expectations of friends, and of all who have at heart the true interests of our great Commonwealth. To this end I shall labor to secure those objects in which we feel a common interest and concern, among which are—the preservation of the State credit; the reduction of the expenses of the State government to their lowest practicable point, thereby lessening the burdens and taxation of the people; the encouragement of a liberal system of improvements for intercourse and trade, in order that production may be increased, labor more amply rewarded, and general prosperity secured; the just execution of the laws (involving a cautious and sparing use of the power to pardon offenders), so that good faith shall be kept among the people, and crime be repressed; the promotion of the education of our youth by a general system of organized schools, and by special institutions of learning, so that knowledge and virtue shall become more and more the solid foundations of our free political system; and, lastly, the restoration of purity and character to our government by the putting down or preventing of special and corrupt legislation, and of all improper uses or management of the public funds. To these general objects, however, should be added, a careful attention by government to the interests of labor. Having earned my bread by the labor of my hands during many, and I may add, the happiest years of my life, and owing whatever I possess (under the Providence of God) to patient and honest toil, I can never be unmindful of the interests of those with whom my entire life has been associated.

Inasmuch as my pursuits and training have not qualified me for speech-making, or for solicitation of votes, it will not be expected that I shall undertake the performance of active duties in the canvass about to begin. But my life, conduct and character are before my fellow-citizens for their examination, and they will afford them better means of judging of my fitness as a candidate for popular support, than anything that I could now say.

I am, gentlemen, very respectfully yours,
ASA PACKER.

To Hon. C. R. Buckalew, and Lewis C. Cassidy, and R. E. Monaghan, Esqrs., Committee.

ANSWER OF MR. PERSHING.

MERCHANTS' HOTEL,
PHILADELPHIA, July 27, 1869.

GENTLEMEN:—Your note of the 21st instant has been received, informing me of my nomination as the Democratic candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court, by the State Convention, which met at Harrisburg on the 14th instant.

This distinguished honor is the more valued, as it has been conferred without solicitation. I accept the nomination, and should the action of the Convention be ratified by the people, I shall endeavor to discharge the responsible duties of the position with impartiality and fidelity.

CYRUS L. PERSHING.

To Hon. Charles R. Buckalew, Lewis C. Cassidy and R. Emmet Monaghan, Esqrs., Committee.

The Columbia County Invasion.

XVII

THE TRIALS.

RICHARD STILES FURTHER CONSIDERED AS A WITNESS: HIS TESTIMONY IN THE COLLEY CASE: On the 22nd of November 1864 Stiles was examined as a witness against Stott E. Colley and testified to declarations made by the latter a year before and also to an attempt of intimidation directed against himself by some person wholly unknow. We give his testimony as it was delivered.

"*Richard Stiles, sworn*:—I reside in Benton township; a farmer. I know Stott E. Colley, for fifteen years or more. I was an enroling officer for the first nine month's drafted men; also revised third enrolment after second enrolment.

I received a letter about the 1st of last May, [*Evidence of the contents of the letter objected to by the Defense but admitted by the Commission.*] Found a letter nailed in a coffin and the lid turned down, Coffin was left as a solemn warning—charged me with dragging my friends and neighbors to a field of slaughter in defence of an inferior race of beings—gave me solemn warning. [Letter produced.] At one time at —— in Benton township had a conversation with the accused. It was about one year ago, after the election of 1863. He contended if there had been a fair election Woodward would have been Governor. It was through fraud Curtin was elected. The Democrats would try the ballot-box once more; if they had not fair play there would be blood spilt.

Cross-examined:—Prisoner never threatened or intimidated me; I do not know who wrote the letter produced. I think the conversation with him was in November 1863, about one month after election."

REMARKS:—In the foregoing testimony the attempt to create prejudice against the Defendant by irrelevant matter and strained inferences, is very evident. That it was not successful in producing the conviction of the accused was not the fault of the witness but was owing to a vigorous and judicious defence by which the weakness of the case for the prosecution was fully exposed.

The alleged conversation with Colley it will be observed was in November 1863, too remote in time from the events of August 1864 to authorize its introduction as evidence (especially as no connection was shown or pretended between the conversation and those events,) and was in itself inconsequential and unimportant. Stiles says that Colley complained that the election had been unfair, but said his party would try the ballot-box once more and then if they had not fair play there would be blood spilt. Whether this declaration be considered a prophecy or a threat is wholly immaterial:- in either case it was contingent upon a state of facts which might never occur, and it did not by any necessary consequence import that Colley himself would be concerned in the shedding of blood. Besides, as an appeal to the ballot-box was to be again made, which could only be at the expiration of a whole year, it would not seem that the catastrophe foretold was a very pressing danger or very likely ever to take place. The truth is, that this conversation between political opponents about an election, to which one of them testified a year afterwards, was as we have described it, irrelevant as testimony and unimportant in character. We cannot be certain that Stiles recites it fairly; but if he does, as evidence of guilt it is contemptible and worthless.

The coffin story may be thought a very *grave* matter at first view, but its importance will disappear upon examination. *Somebody* acted very improperly in playing a rough joke upon Stiles or seriously attempting to alarm him. Whatever may have been the motive of this unknown offender the act of annoying Stiles was a wrong for which we have no disposition to make any excuse. But what had Mr. Colley to do with the coffin transaction, and why was it introduced in evidence against him? The answer to this question is easy and it is one pregnant with instruction upon the subject of military trials. Mr. Colley had nothing whatever to do with that transaction and proof of it was introduced on his trial in contempt of all law and justice and in spite of his protest, only to prejudice his case and secure an unjust conviction. This would not have been allowed in any regular Court of justice, but it was in keeping with the character of a Military Commission. We will only add, that Stiles was probably never in the slightest danger of actual injury from his unknown disturber. The people who send anonymous letters and give secret warnings, very commonly lack boldness, courage, will and enterprise for the execution of unlawful or violent designs.

We have now mentioned every item of testimony given by Richard Stiles in the Rantz and Colley cases, and have subjected all important points thereof to distinct examination. The conclusions to which we come are not favorable to the witness, but they are fairly drawn from his own language and rest upon considerations which must be accepted by every impartial and careful observer. He was zealous in the persecution of innocent men, his neighbors and fellow citizens; colored his statements of fact against them to the point of self-contradiction; intruded irrelevant matters into his testimony, and exhibited throughout a strong partisan spirit which however allowable in election contests is wholly out of place in the administration of justice.

Stiles was not examined as a witness on the trial of Daniel M'Henry. Whether his budget of worthless information was exhausted, or the Commission tired of him, is uncertain. He seems to have collapsed upon the coffin question and to have disappeared from notice at Harrisburg. But his reward for service done, was not withheld. He subsequently served as a distillery Storekeeper in a small way, and is now, we believe, an assistant Assessor of Internal Revenue under Radical appointment.

Our notice of this witness might be thought incomplete if we did not mention that he is a disabled soldier of the war. He went into the service, to be sure, under bounty, very late in the contest, but he gave an arm to his country and has been represented as an object of patriotic sympathy on account of his loss. We are disposed to admit this plea as reasonable, or at all events as entitled to much consideration; but one circumstance in the case chills a little our ardor and makes us pause and reflect. *The arm lost by Richard Stiles in the war was the very right arm raised by him as a witness, at Harrisburg, when he was sworn against his neighbors!*

THE COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Convention met agreeably to the call at one o'clock in the afternoon of Monday last. The Court Room was crowded, every seat being occupied. The meeting was called to order by John A. Funston, the Chairman of the County Committee, when Daniel M'Henry was elected President and John G. Quick and M. V. B. Kline Secretaries. C. B. Brockway was chosen reading clerk. The credentials of delegates from the different districts were then offered and read by the clerk. The following are the names of the delegates.

BEAVER.—Isaac Klingerman, Henry Hinterliter.

BENTON.—I. K. Krickbaum, A. L. Davis.

BERWICK.—A. D. Seeley, J. M. Snyder.

BLOOM.—R. F. Clark, John Leacock.

BRIARCREEK.—Gideon Michael, Chas. Reed.

CATAWISSA.—M. V. B. Kline, Peter Fenstermacher.

CENTRALIA.—Thos. Geharty, Martin Cain.

CENTRE.—Washington Shaffer, Jesse Hoffman.

N. CONYNGHAM.—Cornelius Burns, Jas. Dougherty.

S. CONYNGHAM.—Thos. Kilker, Peter Luby.

FISHINGCREEK.—E. J. M'Henry, Dan'l. M'Henry.

FRANKLIN.—Reuben Knittle, John Artley.

GREENWOOD.—D. C. Albertson, G. G. Keller.

HEMLOCK.—D. B. Wagner, G. L. Shoemaker.

JACKSON.—Geo. Hurliman, Emanuel Savage.

LOCUST.—Henry Fink, Daniel Stine.

MADISON.—Rob't. Fruit, Isaac Whipple.

MAIN.—Nathan Miller, M. V. B. Kestenbauder.

MIFFLIN.—D. W. Montgomery, Isaac Lutz.

MONTOUR.—J. G. Quick, Isaiah Dieterich.

MT. PLEASANT.—Mathias Gilbert, Joseph Ikeler.

ORANGE.—H. R. Kline, John Keller.

PINE.—John P. Lore, Thos. M'Bride.

ROARINGCREEK.—John Mowrey, Jno. D. Houck.

SCOTT.—R. J. Millard, Jacob Terwilliger.

SUGARLOAF.—Ezekiel Cole, Alexander Hess.

On motion of R. F. Clark the Convention proceeded to the nomination of Prothonotary. A. D. Seeley of Berwick presented the name of Wellington H. Ent. Charles Reed of Briarcreek that of Jesse Coleman. Mr. Coleman however withdrew his name before the first ballot and Gen. Ent was nominated by acclamation.

Mr. Seeley offered the name of David Lowenberg for Treasurer and J. M. Snyder offered J. S. Sanders. Mr. Sanders withdrew his name and Mr. Lowenberg, like Gen. Ent, was nominated unanimously.

For Register the names of W. H. Jacoby and B. F. Zarr were presented. A ballot resulted as follows: Jacoby 30, Zarr 22. On motion the nomination of Mr. Jacoby was made unanimous.

There were four candidates for the office of Associate Judge, C. F. Mann, J. R. Jameson, Samuel Creasy and H. J. Reeder. Mr. Reeder's name was withdrawn after the fourth ballot and Mr. Jameson's after the fifth. On the sixth ballot C. F. Mann having received 28 votes was declared to be duly nominated, Samuel Creasy received 24 votes.

Cyrus W. Robbins and J. S. Evans were candidates for County Commissioner. Mr. Robbins was successful by a vote of 40 to 12.

U. J Campbell was nominated by acclamation for the office of Auditor, and C. G. Murphy in a similar manner for Coroner.

Col. H. R. Kline offered amendments to the Rules as follows:

AMENDMENT OF THE RULES OF NOMINATION.

Resolved, That the rules of nomination adopted by the Convention of 1851 be amended as follows:

The first Rule shall be changed to fix the time for the annual Conventions on the first Monday of August in each year.

The second Rule shall be made to read as follows:-The Delegate Elections shall be by ballot, and each general election district shall be entitled to Delegates in Convention in proportion to its Democratic vote as cast at the most recent election for Governor or Presidential Electors. The whole number of Delegates in Convention shall not exceed sixty-four, and in choosing them (except in districts choosing but one) each voter shall be entitled to as many votes as there are Delegates for his district, and may give his votes to the whole number of persons to be chosen by his district or to any less number; and the candidates highest in votes shall be the Delegates of the District.

The ninth Rule shall be changed to fix the number of the Standing Committee at nine instead of five.

The eleventh Rule shall be changed so as to provide that in Convention, no name shall be peremptorily struck from the list of candidates until after the fourth instead of the sixth vote.

The twelfth Rule shall be numbered 13th, and a new 12th Rule is hereby adopted to read as follows:

XII. The Standing Committee whenever necessary shall make an apportionment of Delegates to the several Districts under and in strict conformity with the Second Rule, and shall publish such apportionment together with the Rules in the Democratic newspapers of the county, at least two weeks before each annual Convention.

The first resolution was withdrawn, the second was rejected. The resolutions to change the 9th and 11th rules were agreed to. The 12th rule was not acted on from the failure to accept the second.

John Keller of Orange offered the following:

Resolved: That we the Democratic voters of Columbia County, shall hereafter vote by ballot direct for the Candidates respectively. And each election district at the same time elect a return Judge who shall present the credentinals before the Convention. The votes shall then be counted, and any one having the majority, not of the whole, shall be duly declared nominated for said office. In case two or more Candidates receive the same number of votes for the same office, the Judges shall then vote *viva voce* for the said candidates, each having one vote, and any one receiving the majority of the whole number present, shall be duly declared nominated. And further, these Judges shall have the right and privilege to act as Delegates in electing Conferees, &c.

Which was rejected.

The following resolution was offered by R. J. Millard and unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That Robert F. Clark and James S. McNinch be Senatorial Conferees from Columbia County, to meet similar Conferees from Montour, Northumberland and Sullivan Counties for the purpose of selecting a candidate for State Senator for this District, with instructions to support Hon. C. R. Buckalew.

The following resolution was also adopted unanimously.

Resolved, That Hon. John McReynolds and James Bryson be Conferees from Columbia County to meet similar conferees from Montour County with instructions to support Hon. Geo. Scott for Representative of this District.

The following gentlemen were chosen for the standing Committe—C. B. Brockway, E. G. Ricketts, C. G. Barkley, W. H. Shoemaker, Richard Thornton, U. J. Campbell, Joseph B. Knittle, Rohr McHenry and Jesse Hoffman.

Robert F. Clark offered the following which was adopted:

Resolved: That we heartily approve the nomination of Asa Packer for Governor and Cyrus L. Pershing for Judge of the Supreme Court, known as they are to be men of experience in public affairs, of great purity of character and estimable in all the relations of business and private life. They shall receive from the people of this county a greater majority than that given upon any former occasion to State candidates.

Resolved: That we endorse Asa Packer's letter accepting the nomination for Governor, as an admirable statement of policy to be pursued in State affairs, and as furnishing complete proof of the wisdom of his selection as a candidate.

Hon. C. R. Buckalew, being present, was then called on to address the Convention which he did briefly. Mr. Buckalew spoke strongly in favor of the Democratic nominees for Governor and Judge of the Supreme Court, and read Hon. Asa Packer's letter of acceptance. After thanking the Delegates, and the people of the county whom they represented, for the confidence reposed in him as evidenced by their support of him for the State Senate he closed his address.

On motion the Convention adjourned. There was perfect harmony from first to last and nothing unpleasant occurred to mar the general pleasure.

HOW TO INSURE VICTORY.

The Democracy of Pennsylvania says the Lancaster *Intelligencer* have it in their power to elect Asa Packer Governor and Cyrus L. Pershing Judge of the Supreme Court by a large majority. The entire vote cast at the State election last October was 653,139; of which the Radical candidate for Auditor General received 331,408 and the Democratic candidate 321,731, the Radical majority being 9,677. At the coming State election there will be a very large falling off from the vote of last year. We need not attempt to enumerate the causes which will combine to produce such a result. It has always happened that there was a great falling off in the popular vote of Pennsylvania the year after an exciting Presidential campaign, and it will undoubtedly be the case this year. How great the falling off will be it would be difficult to foretell; but it is perfectly safe to predict that the vote cast for Governor this year will not reach that cast for Auditor General last year by at least thirty thousand, while it is probable the falling off will not be less than fifty thousand.

The fact, that there will be a large falling off in the vote, is the one thing to be kept steadily in view during the present campaign. *It is perfectly safe to say now that that party will be successful next October which polls its own vote most fully.* As a general thing the Democrats of Pennsylvania have had the advantage in what are called the "off years." Heretofore the masses of our party have been steadier and more reliable than their opponents. We elected Sharswood by bringing out our vote better than the Radicals did. That year the falling off in the vote of the State was most marked, there being nearly twelve hundred Democrats in Lancaster county who failed to vote, and more than a proportional number of Radicals. We owed our success in that campaign more to the exceeding great apathy of our opponents than to our own energy and promptitude. It will not be safe for us to rely so largely upon the apathy of our opponents in the present contest. If we do we shall be overwhelmingly beaten.

We can certainly elect our candidates *if we poll our full vote*, even without any help from dissatisfied Republicans. To get out the Democratic vote of Pennsylvania is the great work set before us in the present campaign. To that end every effort of every active man in the party must be constantly directed.—Every Democrat in the State should be at once made to feel his individual responsibility. An efficient working organization must be immediately perfected in every election district; such an organization as will bring every Democratic voter to the polls on the second Tuesday of October, *and bring him there prepared to vote.*

The Registry law may be unconstitutional, but until the decision rendered by a set of partisan Judges is reversed it must be regarded. There must be no mistakes made, no loss of votes through carelessness. It must be diligently seen to that no voter is deprived of his constitutional right of franchise by any device of the desperate Radicals.

We need not detail to our readers their duties. They know them already, and will be kept fully posted as the campaign advances. What we desire to do at present, is to impress upon the minds of every Democrat the assurance, that a full poll of the Democratic vote will elect Packer and Pershing by a large majority; and to fasten upon every individual member of the party a solemn conviction of his own individual responsibility.

A great and crowning triumph lies within our grasp. By electing Packer and Pershing we can put an end to Radical misrule in Pennsylvania, and gladden the hearts of every true patriot in the land. Never had any political organization more solemn responsibilities resting upon it than has the Democratic party of Pennsylvania in the present crisis. It is a contest in which every individual Democrat ought

"To feel as if himself were he
On whose sole arm hung victory."

Let the watchword of every Democrat be "*a full vote is certain victory.*" And to ensure the full poll of our ranks labor earnestly and untiringly. So shall our success be assured beyond the possibility of doubt.

DEMOCRATIC VICTORY IN KENTUCKY.—Louisville despatches state that Jas. W. Tate the Democratic candidate for State Treasurer was elected by an overwhelming majority of 40,000 to 15,000.

There will probably be but fifteen to twenty Republicans in the legislature. The balance being Democrats.

POLITICAL.

FOR GOVERNOR:
ASA PACKER,
OF CARBON COUNTY.

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT:
CYRUS L. PERSHING,
OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.

FOR STATE SENATE.
CHARLES R. BUCKALEW,
(SUBJECT TO THE DECISION OF THE CONFEREES.)

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
GEORGE SCOTT,
(SUBJECT TO THE DECISION OF THE CONFEREES.)

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE.
CHARLES F. MANN,
BEAVER TOWNSHIP.

FOR PROTHONOTARY,
WELLINGTON H. ENT,
SCOTT TOWNSHIP.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.
WILLIAMSON H. JACOBY,
BLOOM TOWNSHIP.

FOR TREASURER.
DAVID LOWENBERG,
BLOOM TOWNSHIP.

FOR COMMISSIONER,
CYRUS W. ROBBINS,
FISHINGCREEK TOWNSHIP.

FOR AUDITOR,
U. J. CAMPBELL,
MAIN TOWNSHIP.

FOR CORONER,
CHARLES G. MURPHY,
CONYNGHAM TOWNSHIP.

MARRIAGES.

BEISHLINE—STINER—At the M. E. Parsonage, in Orangeville, July 20th, by Rev. P. F. Brown Augustus W. Beishline, to Miss Susan Stiner, all of this county.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ESTRAY.

Strayed from the residence of the subscriber in Madison twp, about the middle of July, a brown bull two years old, large horns. $5 reward will be paid for his return. JOHN J. GEISER.
MADISON, Aug. 6, '69-2w.

NOTICE.

The public are hereby notified not to trust or deal with John Miehler on my account as I will pay no debts of his making nor carry out any contracts entered into by him, as he has forfeited the article of agreement between us. Said Miehler is now residing on my land.
SUGARLOAF, Aug. 6, '69-4t. B. KILE.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF LEONARD STINEMAN DEC'D.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county an Auditor to distribute the balance in the hands of Michael P. Ent, Administrator of L. Stineman late of Bloom township in said county, deceased, will meet the parties interested, at the Prothonotary's office in Bloomsburg on Saturday the 28th day of Aug. A. D., 1869, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of his appointment. All persons having claims against said estate will be required to present them at that time, or be excluded from any share of the fund GEORGE COLEMAN.
Aug. 6, '69-4t. Auditor.

TRIAL LIST FOR SEPT. TERM A. D. 1869. FIRST WEEK.

William Davis vs Margaret Brahany.
The West Branch Insurance Co. vs Simon C. Snive.
Edward M'Call et. al. vs John Sweeney.
Thomas J. Vandersllce vs Robert Howell.
Lavina Davenport vs William Klinetop.
John Coleman vs Michael Cronan.
John Deeper vs Daniel Hoover and Zimmerman Conyngham township vs Peter L. Kline et. al.
Isaac Fegely vs James W. Sankey.
Abraham Young vs Jacob Woolver.
Charles R. Green vs Peter Schuyr.
Samuel Benner vs John Hinterliter.
Lucas N. Moyer vs George W. Collamer.
David Lewis Guardian of the heirs of John Hess, dec'd, vs Collins Sutliff.
Wm. Reiser vs John Savage et. al.
A. B. Erasmus vs Matthew Wynkoop, Garnishee of Henry Giger.
Joseph Thomas vs John Roup.
Peter Appleman vs Silas F. Karns.
Christiane Fox vs John Jones.
Henry J. Yeagle vs Isaac Drum & terre tenant.

SECOND WEEK.

Henry J. Yeagle vs Isaac Drum & terre tenant
Rudolph Shuman vs George Breisch.
John Applegate vs Thomas Polk.
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Simon C. Shive vs Hannah E. Armstrong.
Wm. Nugent vs D. F. Seybert.
Nathan Brothers vs Henry A. Wendensaul.
Henry Gable vs Peter Hower a terre tenant.
Austen Church vs Andrew Clark.
Moses D. Rice vs Sarah Grenale.
John Price vs Samuel Gensel.
Samuel Gensel vs Daniel Bower.
Reuben H. King vs Elisha B. Pursel.
John U. Lloyd vs Conyngham township.
Robert Gorrell vs Barny M'Brearty.
Sara t A. Peterman adm'r. vs Valentine Stout et. al.
Edward Ferguson vs Columbia County.
Edward Shuler vs Columbia County.
Samuel Richard vs Columbia County.
Henry James vs Columbia County.
F. Weichel vs John F. Custow.
Gideon Arndt vs John U. Lefoy.
George Nungesser vs Jacob Yohe Jr.
Robert S. Hampton vs Richard Watkins.
Thomas Benfield vs Uriah Chamberlin.
Daniel S. Lashach vs Lowry Cole.
A & J. Reinoehl vs Lackawanna & B. R. R. Co.
George W. Lott vs Wm. Schuyler.
Alexander Colly vs Allmas Cone.
Peter Schuyr vs Charles Lee.
Joseph H. Creasy vs B. F. Bollman.
Columbia Co. vs Jacob Yohe Jr. Treasurer of Columbia County.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—NOTICE IS hereby given to all legatees, creditors and other persons interested in the estates of the respective decedents and minors, that the following administration and guardian accounts have been filed in the office of the Register of Columbia county, and will be presented for confirmation and allowance in the Orphans' Court, to be held in Bloomsburg, on Monday, the 13th day of Sept., 1869, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, viz:

1. Account of E. R. Crawford adm'r, of Daniel Zeigler late of Scott tw'p, dec'd.
2. First and final account of Abner K. Walter Guardian of Wm. B. Yocum minor child of Wm. Yocum dec'd.
3. Final account of Daniel F. Rohrbach adm'r de bonis non of Jacob F. Rohrbach dec'd.
4. Account of P. W. & J. D. Mellek surviving Executors of Daniel Meilek late of Scott tp, dec'd
5. First and final account of John Wenner adm'r. of Jacob Markle, dec'd.
6. Account of Lawson Hughes and Rohr M'Henry Executors of John M'Henry, late of Benton twp, dec'd.
7. First and final account of Peter Laubach adm'r. of Ann Laubach dec'd.
8. First and final account of Geo, L. Low, adm'r of Thomas R. Low, dec'd.
9. Account of Elija Kline, Executor of Abraham Kline as filed by Josiah Kline, adm'r, of Elijah Kline dec'd.
10. First and final account of John Reinbold adm'r, of John Reinbold, dec'd.
11. Account of John Wenner, adm'r. of Solomon Hartman, dec'd.
12. Final account of I. W. Hartman, Executor of H. S. Merrell, dec'd as Guardian of Clara Bittenbender.
13. First and final account of A. B. Browe, Executor of Abraham Berger, dec'd.
14. Final account of Hezekiah J. Boone, adm'r of Benj. Boone dec'd.
15. Account of Samuel Kisner, Executor of Christana Kisner, as filed by Dr. A. P. Heller, adm'r, of Samuel Kisner, dec'd.
16. First and final account of Mirabah Karns, Executor of Jacob Karns late of Fishingcreek twp, dec'd.
17. First and final account of H C. Hess, adm'r of Peter Hess late of Fishingcreek twp, dec'd.
18. Account of Elias Weaver, adm'r. of Peter Weaver late of Franklin twp, dec'd.
19. Final account of Samuel Creasy Guardian of Anna M. Wolf, minor child of Daniel Wolf dec'd.
20. The account of Charles H. Hess, one of the Executors of Abraham Hess, as filed by Samuel Creasy, adm'r, of Charles H. Hess, dec'd.
21. Final account of Moses and Thomas Hower, adm'r. of Daniel Hower, late of Franklin twp, dec'd.
22. First and final account of Clinton Robbins, adm'r. of Joseph Robbins late of Greenwood twp, dec'd.
23. Account of A. P. Heller, adm'r. of Samuel Kisner, late of Madison dec'd.
24. First and final account of M. E. Jackson and Gideon H. Fowler, Executor of John E. Fowler, late of Borough of Berwick, dec'd.
25. First and final account of John Kelchner and Lavina Davenport adm'r. of John Davenport late of Berwick Borough, dec'd.
26. Triennial account of Peter S. Karschner, Guardian of Isaiah Bailer.
27. First and final account of John Kline, adm'r of Harman Kline, late of Scott twp, dec'd.
28. Account of Robert F. Clark, Executor of John Bealer late of Fishingcreek, dec'd.
29. Account of Elias Mendenhall, Guardian of Nevin E. Funk.

J. G. FREEZE,
Bloomsburg August 6, 1869. Register.

WIDOW' APPRAISEMENTS.

The following appraisements of real and personal property set apart to widows of decedents, have been filed in the office of the Register of Columbia county, under the Rules of Court, and will be presented for absolute confirmation, to the Orphans' Court to be held in Bloomsburg, in and for said county, on Monday, the 6th day of Sept. 1869 at two o'clock P. M., of said day, unless exceptions to such confirmations are previously filed, of which all persons interested in said estates will take notice:

1. Widow of Wm. Kitchen of Mt. Pleasant twp, dec'd.
2. Widow of Joseph Kendall of Mifflin twp, dec'd.
3. Widow of Wm. M. Est. of Scott twp, dec'd.
4. Widow of Peter K. Herieda of Locust dec'd.
5. Widow of Philip M. Steely of Mifflin twp, dec'd.
6. Widow of Frederick Lohrman of Locust dec'd.
7. Widow of Peter Emery of Fishingcreek twp dec'd.
8. Widow of Geo. Breisch of Catawissa twp, dec'd.

JOHN G. FREEZE,
Register.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon. William Elwell, President Judge of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions General Jail Delivery, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and Court of Common Pleas and Orphan's Court in the 26th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Columbia, Sullivan and Wyoming, and the Hon. Ivan Derr and James Rester, Associate Judges of Columbia county have issued their precept, bearing date the 11th day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, eight hundred and sixty-nine, and to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and Orphan's Court, and Court of Common Pleas in Bloomsburg, in the county of Columbia, on the first Monday, being the 6th day of Sept, next, to continue one week.

AND WHEREAS ALSO the same Judges have issued their precept bearing date the 11th day of May A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty nine and to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer, General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and of Common Pleas in Bloomsburg in the county of Columbia on the second Monday being the 13th day of September next, and to continue one week.

Notice is hereby given, to the Coroner, to the Justices of the Peace, and the Constables of the said county of Columbia, that they be then and there in their proper person at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said 6th day of Sept., with their records, inquisitions and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those that are bound by recognizance, to prosecute against the prisoners that are or may be, in the jail of the said county of Columbia, to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance, agreeably to their notices. Dated at Bloomsburg, the 11th day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and in the ninety-third year of the Independence of the United States of America. MORDECAI MILLARD,
Bloomsburg, Aug. 6, 1869. Sheriff.

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We offer to Farmers, the present fall season, BAUGH'S RAW BONE SUPER PHOSPHATE OF LIME as being highly improved.

Baugh's Raw Bone Super Phosphate is, as its name indicates, prepared by dissolving Raw Bones in Oil of Vitriol—that is, Bones that have not been deprived of their organic matter—the grease and glue—by burning or baking. It, therefore, presents to the use of the Farmer *all* the valuable properties of Raw Bones in a highly concentrated form—rendering it at once quick in action and very permanent.

☞ Farmers are recommended to purchase of the dealer located in their neighborhood. In sections where no dealer is yet established, the Phosphate may be procured directly from the undersigned.

BAUGH & SONS, Manufacturers,
Office, No. 20 S. Delaware Ave., Philadelphia.
Aug. 6, '69-3m.

THE GREAT MEDICAL MISTAKE.—Of former days was an utter neglect of sanitary precautions. No efficient means were adopted for the prevention of sickness. Sewerage was unknown in cities; drainage was rarely attempted in the country. Heaps of offal were left to rot in the public streets, and domestic cleanliness, the great antidote to febrile diseases, was sadly ne

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BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, AUG. 6, 1869.

can get the best quality of prints at, Lutz's for 12½ cts.

SALE CHEAP.—A tank nearly new holds several hogsheads. Inquire at office.

THOUGH late in the season the sun seems to some power yet left as the past few have been very sultry; the nights however cool.

an intolerable household pests, the flies, appeared in great numbers of late and ing their level best to render life as unbearable as possible. Their success is rful.

BNER'S new Hotel is rapidly approaching completion and will be when finished an ent to the Main Street. It will afford uch needed accommodation for guests public days call for.

friends should remember that this e elect Township officers to take the of those whose terms will expire in the . Nominate good men and it will then the State Ticket.

roads over the mountains in Conyngownship are in a terrible condition, not been worked for a long time owing to of funds. It is proper enough to preeckless expenditure by legislation, but ghways should not be permitted to bempassable.

DLEY talks about "predjudices," ces," &c. in his slashing editorial of ek. Doctor, do not murder the King's h in this manner, or we shall insist on ting you a cheap edition of Webster ed.

illingsgate slang, and newspaper blackm our cotemporary is unrivaled. Calloliticalconvention a band of "ruffians," blishing columns of untruths in refer- our local nominations, while it pan- the depraved taste of a few of his must nauseate and disgust the re le members of his party.

KERS.—That our beautiful town is going ahead in a business point of shown by the fact, that John A. n & Co., the enterprising Fire and surance Agents, have just taken out a Brokers Licence. Brokers pay fifty per annum.

TUNATE.—On Tuesday afternoon last ger applied to George Reiswick for a having procured which he started for at climes." Mr. R.'s brother ascerthe gentleman's intentions started in and was lucky enough to recover the d buggy at Shickshinny. The thief wever made himself scarce.

can get a corset at 75, 95 or 2.25 at Lutz's.

DLEY is terribly disgusted and befogand in the "Columbia county Invas- He does not know and never will who is the writer; and the paragraph ast *Republican* in relation to *retraction* olutely and unqualifiedly false. But would be out of his element in the

OUS ACCIDENT.—John Hill of Centre ip met with an accident a few days hich nearly caused his death. Whilst n a load of grain the front wheel sank eep rut throwing him from the load. ck on his head and was rendered infor some time. We are glad to learn was recovering at last accounts.

ANIZE.—Our County ticket having med, it is a duty incumbent upon ats to forget all animosity incurred the campaign. The defeated as well successful candidates should strike nd do all in their power to insure sucOrganize clubs, circulate Democratic and thus pave the way to a grand in October.

T GIVES SUCCESS IN BUSINESS.—The s man who puts his sign in a newspaas a much wiser thing than he who above his door, which no one would e neglecting. The man who advertforms the public that the wants busid his card is an invitation to customome and deal with him. Where one reads a sign in the street, five hundred in a newspaper.

T.—An exchange says, "If a child o not allow yourself to get out of and indulge in harsh and threatening tions. They will do no good, but, on ntrary, may produce evil. The little r has no other way to make known its save by those crying appeals, which of awakening anger and rousing reent, should touch the tenderest chord mother's heart."

UR HIM.—The Allentown *Democrat* d Fellows should be on their guard a person giving the name of Rice, es round on a collecting mission. He nts himself to be from Chillicothe, nd is now in this section, having visitstown last week. He is an arrant imand has been following the business a year. He is about 28, of medium build, dark complexion, and tells his such a pathetic way as to induce alny person who hears him to invest.

ES wishing to purchase Dress goods not fail to examine those new fall at M. P. Lutz's.

ER BEER.—Take of ginger, bruised d, one and a half ounces; cream of one ounce; loaf sugar, one pound non sliced; put them in to a pan and e quarts of boiling water upon them. nearly cold put in a little yeast, and bout a minute. Let it stand till next en strain and bottle it. It is fit to n three days, but will keep good longa fortnight. The cork should be tied and the bottles placed upright in a ce.

TO TEST FLOUR.—The writer of the ng, which we quote from a Provincial speaks as one with authority, and we the advantage of our circulation for d ot whomsoever it may concern: ce a thimbleful in the palm of the and rub it gently with the finger. If ur smooths down, feeling gentle and y, it is of inferior quality, though of brand, high-priced, and white as the now-drift, and will never make good, and wholesome bread. But if the be rough in the palm, feeling like fine nd has an orange tint, purchase confi- It will not disappoint you. Such hatever may be its branded reputaough its price be at the lowest figure, ke good, light, nutricious bread.

"ADAMS" of Catawissa, this week gives us his proper name. It is too late, as his communication was put in the waste paper basket as soon as the discovery was made that it was anonymous.

PAT HESTER, in whom the *Republican* is so deeply interested, was *not* present at the Democratic Convention. Besides, he is a resident of Northumberland county, and in no way, shape or manner interested in our local politics. Truthfulness, however, is no ingredient in the composition of our cotemporary.

A FACT WHICH SHOULD BE REMEMBERED.—That Asa Packer, Democratic candidate for Governor, was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention held at Charleston, in 1860, from which he bolted, and united with the southern secessionists in nominating John C. Breckinridge as the secession candidate to defeat Stephen A. Douglas, the regular Democratic nominee.—*Republican.*

So few real Democrats take the *Republican*, that it is scarcely necessary for us to deny its numerous falsehoods. The above is unqualifiedly false. Asa Packer did not bolt from the Democratic Convention of 1860, and did *not* vote for Breckinridge, but for that eminent patriot and Statesman, James Guthrie of Kentucky. Ben. Butler, however, a bright and shining light in Radical circles, was a delegate at the same Convention, *and voted fifty-seven times for Jeff. Davis!*

THE *Columbian* says the Orangeville Orphan's school is to be re-established. Of course the news is not reliable and hence the remarks are without foundation.—*Republican.*

Doctor, what is your definition of reliability? On the 20th of July A. D. 1869, Gov. Geary informed Prof. Henry Carver and R. W. Bowman, two gentleman of veracity and reputation, *that the Soldiers' Orphans' School should be returned to Orangeville.*

But, hold! Bradley is right; *we have only got Geary's word for it!*

THE sidewalks in this town are certainly a disgrace to it. No two are of the same height and scarcely two of the same kind—stone, brick, wood, ashes and dirt are used to form the walks but none of them can be called highly successful, and the result is "confusion worse confounded."

THE editor of the *Republican* labors under the idea, common to people of weak intellect, that the proper manner to refute a statement is to say "'tain't" so." This is all very well when any proof is adduced to support the denial. The *Republican's* articles are worth but little when they have nothing stronger to support them than, as Col. McClure says, "the Governor's word,"

THE handsome countenance and manly form of Col. L. L. Tate lightened our sanctum on Monday last. The Colonel assures us that his paper is an established fact, and in a good paying condition. He represents the Democracy as being active in Lycoming. We hope they will achieve Columbia county majorities ere long. They have the material to do it.

DURING a recent visit to Centralia we were shown through the hot-house and admirably laid out grounds of Joseph M. Freck. Though located in the midst of a barren, sterile region, they exceed in beauty, extent, and variety anything of the kind in Columbia. He has indeed made "the desert to blossom as the rose." His grapes, especially, are not only of the best varieties, but are in a very forward condition.

LUZERNE POLITICS.—The difficulties about the Luzerne County Democratic Convention which we mentioned last week have been reconciled, and that body will assemble at Wilkes-Barre on Tuesday, August 10th. We are informed that there is an informal agreement to hold the next Convention at Scranton. We hope our neighbors will preserve harmony in their ranks, because we look to Luzerne for 4000 majority this fall.

ON Tuesday last we were visited by Mr. J. W. Brown, one of the editors of the Morning *Patriot*. We are glad to learn from him that the best of feeling prevails throughout the State in reference to our nominees, and that the chances of success are on the increase.

Mr. Brown is endeavoring to increase the circulation of the *Patriot*. It is one of the best dailies in the State, and preferable to any other because it reaches us at 7.15 in the morning, giving the news ten hours before the New York or Philadelphia mails arrive.

It derives additional importance from the fact that it is published at the State capital, and is an uncompromising enemy of rings, frauds and corruptions of all kinds.

RUNAWAY.—On Wednesday morning last whilst a young mare of David Armstrong of Hemlock was standing in front of Mr. Rob, bin's house on Fourth street in this town a boy passing by struck at her with a stick causing her to run off. A number of boys took up the cry of "runaway" frightening her still more and rendering it impossible to catch her. The buggy was smashed to pieces, hardly any part escaping injury. The mare was very badly cut in four or five places.

This is the second runaway which has been caused by boys, and it is high time an example should be made of some of them. Fortunately no one was in the buggy at the time or loss of life might have ensued. Mr. Armstrong informs us that the mare was perfectly gentle and quiet. The blow with the stick undoubtedly caused all the trouble.

THROUGH the kindness of M. W. Jackson we were recently shown through the machine shops of Jackson & Woodin at Berwick. Although intimately acquainted in that town, we have never visited them, and were therefore much astonished to see a large number of excellently arranged machine shops, in the place of the dingy, one-horse foundry which occupied the site in our boyhood.

A large new engine has been placed in position, and daily additions are being made to the machinery.

About 150 men and boys are constantly at work manufacturing cars, thus giving employment to numerous mechanics and laboring men in and around Berwick. Boys as young as ten years find constant employment, thus enabling them to acquire a trade, keep out of mischief, and earn a livelihood for themselves and parents.

We were much pleased by the visit, and feel assured of the future prosperity of the little Borough.

THE following is the score of a game of base ball played on the Fair Ground in this place on Tuesday afternoon last, between the Riverside club of Catawissa and the Independent nine of Bloomsburg.

"RIVERSIDE."	O.	R.	"Independent."	O.	R.
Kline, p	3	4	Warr, c f	2	3
Carpenter s s	5	2	Edgar, r f	3	3
L. Eyer, 1 b	3	4	Buckalew, p	3	6
M. Eyer, 2 b	2	5	Pennan, 1 f	2	2
Sharpless, c f	1	4	Momminger, 2 b	5	5
Scott, 1 f	1	4	Appleman, 1 b	3	7
Moyer, 3 b	3	3	Mellek, c	3	4
Abbott, c	3	2	Billmayer, s s	2	4
Hiter f	5	1	Shutt, 3 b	2	7
	27	29		27	37

Umpire—Charles Unangst.
Scorers { Clark. Ellis.

Local Notices.

A CAMP meeting for Columbia circuit will be held in Centre township Columbia county on the land of Mr. Joseph P. Conner to commence on the 19th of August. The people of the community are respectfully invited to attend and take part in the exercises irrespective of denominational distinctions.

P. H. RISHEL,
Preacher in charge.

CAMP MEETING.—On Orangeville mission, on the land of Mr. Elias P. Bender five miles northeast of Orangeville, on Fishingcreek to commence August 12th.

S. P. REMER, Pastor.

N.B. No huckstering allowed within the limits prescribed by law.

THERE will be (D. V) a M. E. Camp meeting held in the Megargell grove one-fourth of a mile from Orangeville and 5 miles from Bloomsburg, commencing Aug. 18th. Hacks will convey passengers to the ground from all important points, *Ministers and Members of adjoining charges cordially invited.*

J. Fearon Brown,
J. Edwards. } Pastors.

THINK you the proprietor of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy would offer $500 reward for a case of Catarrh which he cannot cure if his Remedy was a humbug? Preposterous idea! Sold by druggists everywhere at fifty cents, and it prepares a full pint of the medicine ready for use.

THERE will be a Campmeeting on the Bloomingdale circuit, Aug. 25th and continue nine days. The ground is 8 miles from Shickshinny, from which place hacks will connect with every train to and from the ground. The preachers and people on the District and adjoining circuits and stations are cordially invited to attend.

B. P. King,
A. C. Crosthwaite } Pastors.

MOYER BROS., have just received another lot of "Gem" Fruit Jars. They are determined if possible to keep up with the immense demand for these jars, which are decidedly the *very best* in the market.

THE SARSAPARILLA DIGGERS OF YUCATAN.—This singular set of people are descended from the ancient Aztecs of Southern Mexico, and still retain some of the peculiarities which Stevens and Prescott gave their ancestors. Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co. employ a small army of them in digging Sarsaparilla root. Provided with narrow spades, a coil of rope, and a bag of water, they are ready for the forest where the wild banana furnishes them with food, and thick-leaved trees their only shelter. Few of those who find themselves rejuvenated by this product, know how much they are indebted to the toil of these humble laborers, who dig health for thousands of Dr. Ayer's patrons, while they sometimes lose their own.—[Boston Commercial.

Receipts of "THE COLUMBIAN" for July, 1869.

Martin Flanigan	2 00	Michael Frantz	5 00
Asa Everett	2 00	Joseph Stackhouse	2 00
C E Savage	6 00	A B Brown	1 00
Jacob Troup	2 00	J P Wright	2 00
John K Girton	12 10	Wm Peifer	2 00
Jacob Yohe	4 00	Thos Donohue	1 00
Dr W M Reser	4 80	H A Weidensaul	2 00
Amos Spade	5 00	Elias Creasy	2 00
M S Appleman	5 50	M P Fowler	
Miners' Association	2 50	Guardian	22 00
R S Ent	3 40	Est Mary Goff	5 00
J M Edwards	1 00	Mordecai Millard	11 25
Allen Kay	2 00	Jacob Diefenbach	1 00
Isaac M Cake	2 00	School Department	5 00
Charles Hassert	2 00	National Publishing Committee	3 00
J H Vanderslice	2 00	H Rutenbender	4 00
S H Coles	2 00	C Gearheart	4 00
J G Freeze	50	Est Peter Dallman	3 00
J S Hall	4 00	Wm T Shuman	6 00
Cuyngham twp	1 50	Philip Creasy	2 00
Hon J McReynolds	6 00	J R Rice	3 00
P M Burr	5 00	Alexa der Kmouse	1 15
C M Brown	3 00	William Hiller	2 00
Michael Fraey	3 00	John W Hunter	2 00
Est A Obissser	5 00	T J Welliver	2 00
John J Coghlin	2 00	R Kile	1 00
Fourth Jury Committee	2 00	Dr M M'Henry	2 00
Wm Phaylor	2 00	Isaac Hagenbuch	2 00
Daniel J Stine	2 00	Lewis Girton	2 00
Joseph L Lamon	2 00	G Barkley	15 00
Dr E W Wells	6 00	Samuel Creasy	3 00
Est Geo Pfeil	2 50	John Huey	2 00
C W Miller	9 25	H Rosenstock	4 00
George Leiby	2 00	L H Conover	3 00
Hinks	1 00	W H Shoemaker	2 00
Samuel Johnson	2 00	M G & W H Shoemaker	2 00
Samuel Sharpless	1 50	Joseph H Long	4 00
John B Pursel	28 00	Jacob Shoemaker	2 00
John Nungessor	2 00	C B Seesholtz	2 00
Geo H Little	1 00	J W Kramer	2 00
Dr C W Mifflin	4 00	J Shuman	5 25
James J Mecker	2 00	Peter Gearhart	4 00
Boniface Gibbons	2 00	John Keller	3 00
F Sherman	2 00	Abraham Hartman	1 18
Clark Brink	2 00	Samuel M Henry	6 18
J B Hartman & Co	6 00	Benjamin M'Henry	4 00
Levi Wenner	2 00	Simon Fry	1 00
John C Snyder	2 00	F Creek School District	2 00
Parmelee & Co	3 50	John R Keeler	4 00
B F Hartman	10 00	S S Shoemaker	2 25
J W Chamberlin	10 47	Jacob Kemble	2 00
O C Kahler Jr	5 00	Martin Yorks	2 00
Richard Edwards	3 00	C H Carruthers	2 00
Wm Ikeler	6 00	M V B Kline	2 00
Samuel Sharpless	1 00		
Thomas Gibbens	2 00		

Bloomsburg Market Report.

Wheat per bushel	$1 30
Rye "	1 25
Corn "	90
Oats "	65
Flour per barrel	10 00
Cloverseed	8 00
Flaxseed	2 00
Butter	30
Eggs	20
Tallow	12
Potatoes	75
Dried Apples	2 50
Hams	20
Sides and Shoulders	20
Lard per pound	25
Hay per ton	20 00

LUMBER.

Hemlock Boards per thousand feet	$16 00
Pine " " (one inch)	18@20
Joist, Scantling, Plank, (Hemlock)	15 00
Shingles, No. 1 per thousand	3 00
" " " " 2 "	2 00
Siding " " ft.	18 00

IRON—

No. 1 Scotch pig	$42
No. 2 "	$40
Bloom	$39

Light Street Markets.

Corrected weekly by Peter Ent, wholesale and retail dealer in grain, flour & feed and general merchandize.

Wheat per bushel	$1 30
Rye " "	1 30
Corn " "	90
Buck Wheat "	60
Oats "	70
Wheat Flour per 100 lbs.	4 50
Buck Wheat Flour	4 50
Corn Chop, "	2 00
Bran, "	1 50
Butter per lb	30
Eggs per doz.	20
Potatoes per bus	75
Dried Apples "	2 00
Smoked Side meat per lb	18
" Shoulder "	20
" Ham "	25
Lard " "	18

Philadelphia Markets.

FLOUR—	
Northwestern superfine at	$5.00@5.25
Northwestern extra	5.50@6.25
Northwestern family	7.50@7.75
Pennsylvania and Western superfine	5.00@6.50
Pennsylvania and Western extra	5.75@6.75
Pennsylvania and Western family	9.25@11.00
Pennsylvania and Western fancy	11.50@13.25
Rye flour	$7.25
WHEAT—Pennsylvania red, ₰ bus	$1.6 @1.20
Southern "	$2.50@2.75
California " "	1.30
White "	$1.15@1.10
RYE—Pennsylvania rye, ₰ bus	$1.40@1.45
CORN—Yellow, "	90@90c
White, "	$1.17@1.17
OATS—Bbus	76@76c
PROVISIONS—Mess Pork, ₰ bbl	$31.50
Mess Beef, "	$21.50
Dressed Hogs, ₰ lb	8½@9c
Smoked Hams "	17@18c
" Shoulders ₰ lb	13c
Lard, ₰ lb	17c@20c
SEEDS—Cloverseed ₰ bus	$7.00@7.25
Timothyseed ₰ bus	$4.75
Flaxseed "	$2.75
CATTLE—Beef Cattle ₰ lb	9c@11c
Cows, ₰ head	$35@50
SHEEP—₰ lb	8@9c
HOGS—₰ 100 lbs	$16@$17.50

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Call at The Columbian Office, Bloomsburg Pa

MERCHANDISE.

July and August Prices

AT

I. W. HARTMAN'S,

FOR SUMMER DRESS GOODS.

25 ct	LAWNS AT	22 cts.
45 ct.	LAWNS AT	40 cts.
55 ct.	LAWNS AT	50 cts.
$1,25	DRESS GOODS AT	$1,10
$1,00	DRESS GOODS AT	90 cts.
55 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	48 cts.
40 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	35 cts.
35 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	30 cts.
25 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	22 cts.
20 ct.	DRESS GOODS AT	18 cts.

TERMS CASH OR PRODUCE.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES
AT PETER ENT'S STORE,
IN LIGHT STREET,
OF
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

THE subscriber has just received and has on hand at his old stand in Light Street, a large and select
ASSORTMENT OF MERCHANDISE
purchased at the lowest figure, and which he determined to sell on as moderate terms as be procured elsewhere in Light Street,
FOR CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE.
His stock consists of
LADIES' DRESS GOODS,
choicest styles and latest fashions,
Calicoes, Muslins,
Ginghams, Flannels,
Hosiery, Carpets,
Silks, Shawls,
READY MADE CLOTHING,
Satinetts, Cassimers,
Cottonades, Kentucky Jeans.
&C., &C &C.
GROCERIES, MACKERAL,
Queensware, Cedarware, Hardware, Medicines, Drugs, Oils, Paints, &c.
BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS
In short everything usually kept in a country store. The patronage of his old friends and the public generally, is respectfully solicited.
The highest market price paid for country produce.
PETER ENT.
Light Street, Nov. 8 1867.

SOMETHING NEW.
The undersigned begs leave to inform her friends and the public generally, that she has opened in
BLOOMSBURG,
a fresh stock
of goods in the line of
MILLINERY and TRIMMINGS
In connection with Dress Making; and is prepared in addition, to
COLOR STRAW HATS
on the shortest notice, and in the best style of the art. Prices cheap and work satisfactory.
MRS. E. KLINE.
Light Street, October 4, 1867.

MISS LIZZIE BARKLEY
has just returned from Philadelphia, and has bought, and is now offering the best assortment of
FANCY GOODS,
TRIMMINGS,
BONNETS &c. &c.,
ever exhibited in Bloomsburg, and is prepared to make up dresses and all other articles of female wardrobe, at short notice, and in the best and
LATEST SPRING STYLES.
Rooms in the Ramsey Buildings, on West Main Street. Call and see her varied stock of Spring Goods.
May 1,'68.

1869. JULY. 1869.
IF YOU WANT GOOD
BLACK SILK FOR DRESS OR SACK
GO TO C. C. MARR'S.

IF YOU WANT GOOD
BLACK AND COLORED ALPACA CHEAP
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LUSTER LAWN OR MOHAIR DRESS CHEAP.
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IF YOU WANT A NICE
AND GOOD PAIR OF GAITERS
CHEAPER THAN ANY
OTHER PLACE
GO TO C. C. MARR'S.
July 16,'69-tf.

FLOUR AND FEED.
The undersigned thankful for past patronage begs to announce to his friends and to the public that his
NEW MILL
is now in complete running order, and that he is prepared to do all kinds of Milling without delay Parties from a distance can have their grists ground without delay, so as to take them home the same day, and as a rule all work brought to the mill can be done in twenty-four hours. My present arrangements are such as to preclude the necessity of stopping the mill on account of low, high or low water.
THE BEST FAMILY FLOUR.
as well as the lower grades, and all kinds o
CHOP AND FEED
kept on hand in quantity, and for sale at the lowest current rates. Grain of all kinds purchased.
Light Street, Dec. 4,'68-tf. PETER ENT.

MAMMOTH GROCERY.
J. H. MAIZE,
MAIN AND IRON STREET, BLOOMSBURG PA,
The Largest and Best Stock of Groceries and Provisions in the County.
A splendid lot of Hams, Side-meat and Shoulders, Teas Coffees and Spices. Foreign and Domestic Fruits a specialty. A large lot of
FRUIT JARS
on hand of the best patterns.
GOODS DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF THE TOWN
June 18,'69-tf

THE MISSISSQUOI POWDER actually cures Cancer and Scrofulous Diseases of the Skin. See report to L. I. Medical Society. Statements of Physicians in circular sent free on application to CHAS. A. DUBOIS, 182 Pearl st., New York City. Box 1659. [12-9-3m]

DRY GOODS.

1869. JULY. 1869.
IF YOU WANT
A
BARGAIN
IN
DRY GOODS,
NOTIONS.
HOSIERY,
GLOVES,
&C., &C.,
GO TO
M. P. LUTZ,
MAIN STREET,
OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.
Apr.16,68-tf.

MILLER'S STORE.
FRESH ARRIVAL OF
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.
The subscriber has just returned from the cities with another large and select assortment of
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,
purchased in New York and Philadelphia at the lowest figure, and which he is determined to sell on as moderate terms as can be procured else where in Bloomsburg. His stock comprises
LADIES' DRESS GOODS
of the choicest styles and latest fashions, together with a large assortment of Dry Goods and Groceries, consisting of the following articles:
Carpets, Oil Cloths, Cloths, Cassimeres, Shawls, Flannels, Silks, White Goods, Linens, Hoop Skirts, Muslins, Hollowware, Cedarware, Hardware, Queensware, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Hoop Nets, Umbrellas, Looking-Glasses, Tobacco, Coffee, Sugars, Teas, Rice, Allspice, Ginger, Cinnamon, Nutmegs,
AND NOTIONS GEN RALLY.
In short, everything usually kept in country stores, to which he invites the attention of the public generally. The highest price will be paid for country produce in exchange for goods.
S. H. MILLER & SON.
Arcade Buildings, Bloomsburg, Pa.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.
MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY
OF
DRESS GOODS,
AT THE NEW
STORE, BROWER'S BUILDING,
The splendid rooms of J. J. BROWER, are completed and now open to the public with the
FINEST STOCK
ever offered in Bloomsburg. All the
NEWEST STYLES
of Dress Goods, Silks, Cloths, Cassimers, Linens, Flannels &c,
CARPETS
of every style and for all prices. Oil Cloths in great variety.
A full line of
SUPERIOR GROCERIES.
Coffees, Teas, Sugars, Spices, warranted pure and good.
GLASS AND QUEENSWARE,
in carefully assorted variety.
GLOVES, HOSIERY,
HOOP SKIRTS, CORSETS AND A COMPLETE assortment of
WHITE GOODS,
The public are earnestly invited to examine these fine goods, before purchasing elsewhere and are guaranteed satisfaction. No expense or trouble has been spared to make
THE MOST COMPLETE
establishment in this section of the State.
J. J. BROWER,
May 7,'69-tf Bloomsburg Pa.

FIRST CLASS GOODS.
RARE BARGAINS.
The subscriber has just thoroughly restocked his Store, in Catawissa, lately occupied by M'Ninch & Shuman, and now offers for sale
A COMPLETE STOCK OF DRY GOODS,
Groceries and general merchandise which for quality and variety will compare favorably with any in the country. He has a fresh assortment of
SPRING GOODS
which he will dispose of for cash or country produce. Among his Dry Goods will be found all the latest and best patterns of
MUSLINS, GINGHAMS, CALICOES, FLANNELS, SHAWLS, SILKS, CASSIMERS, BROADCLOTHS, COTTONADES, JEANS &c., &c. GROCERIES, GLASSWARE, QUEENSWARE, HARDWARE CEDARWARE DRUGS, OILS, PAINTS, VARNISHES &c.
HATS & CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES;
and, in fact, a complete line of goods, belonging to his business. As he buys and sells for cash he can afford to keep his prices as low if not lower than usual dealers. His motto is,
"QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS."
COAL OF ALL KINDS
Constantly on hand and for sale at the lowest market rates.
MORO PHILLIPS PHOSPHATE,
Especial attention paid to the selection of Building material, Cutlery, Mechanics' Tools, and Hardware of all kinds, to which the attention of builders and others is requested.
GRAIN PURCHASED.
A fair share of public custom is desired and no efforts will be omitted to give entire satisfaction.
JOSEPH B. KNITTLE.
Apr. 16,69-6m Catawissa, Pa.

MERCHANDISE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
To my friends and the public generally, that all kinds of
DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
QUEENSWARE,
NOTIONS, &C.,
are constantly on hand and for sale
AT BARTON'S OLD STAND,
BLOOMSBURG, BY
JAMES K. EYER.
Also, Sole Agent for ELLIS' PHOSPHATE OF LIME. Large lot constantly on hand. [feb5'67.

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July 16,'69.-1yr

CHARTER OAK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Mr. R. W. Sweeny agent for Columbia and Luzerne Counties. Dear Sir.
I take pleasure in acknowledging the receipt of five thousand dollars from your company, being for the insurance on the life of my husband Calvin B. Reifsnyder, and take this occasion of recommending the CHARTER OAK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, for its promptitude and fair dealing. This company makes no deduction of OUTSTANDING PREMIUM NOTES, but cancels and returns them to the insured.
KATE P. REIFSNYDER,
Catawissa, Pa. Apr. 24th 1869.
Insurance can be effected with
R. W. SWEENY, Agent,
At Catawissa or Bloomsburg.
May 7,'69-3m

INSURANCE AGENCY.

Wyoming	$170,000
Ætna	4,000,000
Fulton	300,000
North America	300,000
City	450,000
International	1,400,000
Niagara	1,000,000
Putnam	500,000
Merchants	330,000
Springfield	570,000
Farmers' Danville	500,000
Albany City	400,000
Lancaster City	200,000
York Horse, Death & Theft	65,000
Home, New Haven	1,000,000
Danville, Horse Theft	

FREAS BROWN, *Agent*,
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BLOOMSBURG, PA.
General Fire and Life Insurance, and Real Estate Agency. Special attention will be given to negotiating loans. [June 11'69-3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW STOCK OF CLOTHING.
Fresh arrival of
FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
DAVID LOWENBERG
invites attention to his stock of
CHEAP AND FASHIONABLE CLOTHING.
at his store on
Main Street, two doors above the American House
Bloomsburg, Pa.,
where he has just received from New York and Philadelphia a full assortment of
MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING,
including the most fashionable, durable, and handsome
DRESS GOODS,
consisting of
BOX, SACK, ROCC, GUM, AND OIL-CLOTH COATS AND PANTS.
of all sorts, sizes and colors. He has also replenished his already large stock of
FALL AND WINTER SHAWLS,
STRIPED, FIGURED, AND PLAIN VESTS,
SHIRTS, CRAVATS, STOCKS, COLLARS,
HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES,
SUSPENDERS, AND FANCY ARTICLES
He has constantly on hand a large and well-selected assortment of
CLOTHS AND VESTINGS,
which he is prepared to make to order into any kind of clothing, on very short notice, and in the best manner. All his clothing is made to wear, and most of it is of home manufacture.
GOLD WATCHES AND JEWELRY,
of every description, fine and cheap. His case of jewelry is not surpassed in this place. Call and examine his general assortmen of
CLOTHING, WATCHES, JEWELRY, &C.
DAVID LOWENBURG.

WOOL WANTED.
The subscriber desires
30,000 POUNDS OF WOOL
in exchange for Fancy and Staple dry goods of all varieties and every style which he keeps constantly on hand, both of his own manufacture and other first class mills. The highest city prices will be allowed. Parties will find it to their advantage to deal with us and thereby save the profit of traveling agents.
J. E. SANDS,
June 4,'69-3m Mordansville, Pa

WOOL WANTED.
The subscriber, agent of the Lewisburg Clothing Mills, desires
50,000 POUNDS OF WOOL IN EXCHANGE
for all kinds of cloth, cassimers, satinets, and all kind of flannels and blankets.
He is also prepared to do roll carding and fulling, coloring and cloth dressing in the best manner. Address
GEORGE VANCE,
June 18,'69-3m Orangeville, Pa.

SLATE ROOFING,
EVERY VARIETY
AT
MOST FAVORABLE RATES,
JOHN THOMAS, AND CASPER J. THOMAS,
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Mar.19-68-1yr.

GET THE BEST.
Munson's Copper Tubular Lightning Rod, the best protection against disaster by lightning ever invented. The subscriber is agent for the above invention, and all orders by mail or in person will be promptly attended to.
May 15,'68 E. B. BIDDLE.

E. J. THORNTON
would announce to the citizens of Bloomsburg and vicinity, that he has just received a full and complete assortment of
WALLPAPER, WINDOW SHADES,
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The Fox's Brush.

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You must go straight on till you come to the castle, where the horse stands in the stall. By his side will lie the groom fast asleep and snoring; take away the horse softly; but be sure to let the old saddle be upon him, and do not put on the golden one that is close by." Then the young man sat down on the fox's tail; and away they went over stock and stone, till their hair whistled in the wind.

All went right, and the groom lay snoring, with his hand upon the golden saddle. But when the lad looked at the horse, he thought it a great pity to keep the leather saddle upon it. "I will give him the good one," said he; "I am sure he is worth it." As he took up the golden saddle, the groom awoke, and cried out so loud, that all the guards ran in and took him prisoner; and in the morning he was brought before the king's court to be judged, and was once more doomed to die. But it was agreed that if he could bring thither the beautiful princess, he could live and have the horse given him for his own.

Then he went his way very sorrowful but the old fox once more met him on the road, and said, "Why did you not listen to me? If you had you would have carried away both the bird and the horse. Yet I will once more give you counsel. Go straight on, and in the evening you will come to a castle. At twelve o'clock every night the princess goes to the bath; go up to her as she passes, and give her a kiss, and she will let you lead her away; but take care you do not let her go and take leave of her father and mother." Then the fox stretched out his tail, and away they went over stock and stone, till their hair whistled again.

As they came to the castle all was as the fox had said; and at twelve o'clock the young man met the princess going to the bath, and gave her the kiss; and she agreed to run away with him, but begged with many tears that he would let her take leave of her father. At first he said, "No!" but she wept still more and more, and fell at his feet, till at last he yielded; but the minute that she came to her father's door the guards awoke, and he was taken prisoner again.

So he was brought at once before the king, who lived in that castle. And the king said, "You shall never have my daughter, unless in eight days you dig away the hill that stops the view from my window." Now this hill was so big that all the men in the whole world could not have taken it away; and when he had worked for seven days, and had done very little, the fox came and said, "Lie down and go to sleep! I will work for you." In the morning he awoke, and the hill was gone; so he went merrily to the king, and told him that now it was gone he must give him the princess.

Then the king was obliged to keep his word, and away went the young man and the princess. But the fox came and said to him, "That will not do; we will have all three,—the princess, the horse, and the bird." "Ah!" said the young man, "that would be a great thing; but how can it be?"

"If you will only listen," said the fox "it can soon be done. When you come to the king of the castle where the golden horse is, and he asks for the beautiful princess, you must say, 'here she is!' Then he will be very glad to see her, and will run to welcome her; and you will mount the golden horse that they are to give you, and put out your hand to take leave of them; but shake hands with the princess last. Then lift her quickly on to the horse, behind you; clap your spurs to his side, and gallop away as fast as you can."

All went right; then the fox said, "When you come to the castle where the bird is, I will stay with the princess at the door, and you will ride in and speak to the king; and when he sees that it is the right horse, he will bring out the bird; but you must sit still, and say that you want to look at it, to see whether it is the true golden bird or not and when you get it into your hand, ride away as fast as you can."

This, too, happened as the fox said; they carried off the bird; the princess mounted again, and off they rode till they came to a great wood. On their way through it they met their old friend Reynard again; and he said, "Pray kill me, and cut off my head and my brush!" The young man would not do any such thing to so good a friend: so the fox said "I will at any rate give you good counsel; beware of two things! ransom no one from the gallows, and sit down by the side of no brook!" Then away he went. "Well," thought the young man "it is no hard matter, at any rate, to follow that advice."

So he rode on with the princess, till at last they came to the village where he had left his two brothers. And there he heard a great noise and uproar: and when he asked what was the matter, the people said, "two rogues are going to be hanged." As he came nearer, he saw that the two men were his brothers who had turned robbers. At the sight of them in this sad plight his heart was very heavy, and he cried out, "Can nothing save them from such a death?" but the people said "No!" unless he would bestow all his money upon the rascals, and buy their freedom, by repaying all they had stolen. Then he did not stay to think about it, but paid whatever was asked; and his brothers were given up, and went on with him towards their father's home.

Now the weather was very hot; and as they came to the wood where the fox first met them, they found it so cool and shady under the trees, by the side of a brook that ran close by, that the two brothers said, "Let us sit down by the side of this brook and rest a while, to eat and drink." "Very well!" said he, and forgot what the fox had said, and sat down on the side of the brook: and while he thought of no harm coming to him they crept behind him, and threw him down the bank, and took the princess, the horse, and the bird, and went home to the king their master, and said "All these we have won by our own skill and strength." Then there was great merriment made, and the king held a feast, and the two brothers were welcomed home; but the horse would not eat, the bird would not sing, and the princess sat by herself in her chamber, and wept bitterly.

The youngest son fell to the bottom of the bed of the stream. Luckily, it was nearly dry, but his bones were almost broken, and the bank was so steep that he could find no way to get out. As he stood bewailing his fate, and thinking what he should do, to his great joy he spied his old and faithful friend the fox, looking down from the bank upon him. Then Reynard scolded him for not following his advice, which would have saved him from all the troubles that had befallen him. "Yet," said he, "silly as you have been, I cannot bear to leave you here; so lay hold of my brush, and hold fast!" Then he pulled him out of the river, and said to him, as he got upon the bank, "Your brothers have set a watch to kill you if they find you making your way back." So he dressed himself as a poor piper, and came playing on his pipe to the king's court. But he was scarcely within the gate when the horse began to eat, and the bird to sing, and the princess left off weeping. And when he got to the great hall, where all the court sat feasting, he went straight up to the king, and told him all his brothers' roguery. Then it made the king very angry to hear what they had done, and they were seized and punished; and the youngest son had the princess given to him again; and he married her; and after the king's death he was chosen king in his stead.

After his marriage he went one day to walk in the wood, and there the old fox met him once more, and besought him, with tears in his eyes, to be so kind as to cut off his head and his brush. At last he did so, though sorely against his will, and in the same moment the fox was changed into a prince, and the princess knew him to be her own brother, who had been lost a great many years; for a spiteful fairy had enchanted him, with a spell that could only be broken by some one cutting off his head and his brush.

FARMER'S COLUMN.

THE CROW'S VALUE TO FARMERS.—Whatever wrong the crow commits against the cultivators of the soil may, by a little painstaking, be materially lessened or wholly prevented. The benefits he confers are both numerous and important. During the time he remains with us he destroys, so says no less authority than Wilson, "myriads of worms, moles, mice, caterpillars, grubs and beetles." Audubon also affirms that the crow devours myriads of grubs every day of the year—grubs which would lay waste the farmer's field—sand destroys quadrupeds innumerable, every one of which is an enemy to his poultry and his flocks. Dr. Harris also one of the most faithful and accurate observers, in speaking of the fearful ravages sometimes wrought in our grass lands and gardens by grub of the May beetles, adds his testimony to the great service rendered by the crow in keeping these pests in check. Yet, regardless of such testimony in their favor, we have nearly exterminated these birds, and the destructive grubs, having no longer this active enemy to resist their growth, are year by year increasing with fearful persistence. We have seen large farms in which over entire acres, the grass was so completely undermined and the roots eaten away that the loosened turf could be rolled up as easily as if it had been cut by the turning-spade In the same neighborhood whole fields of corn, potatoes and almost every kind of garden vegetables had been eaten at the root and destroyed. Our more intelligent farmers who have more carefully studied the cause of this unusual insect growth, have satisfied themselves that it is the legitimate result, the natura and inevitable consequence, of our own acts. Our short-sighted and murderous warfare upon the crow has interrupted the harmonies of nature, disturbed her well adjusted balance, and let loose upon agriculture its enemies, with no adequate means of arresting their general increase.—*Atlantic Monthly.*

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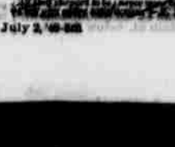

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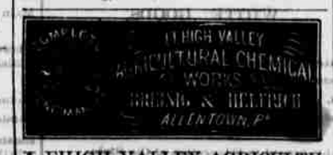

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